



I-84B/Idaho 27 North Overland

***Weekly Construction Update – July 7, 2010**

Excavation of the west side of Overland Avenue has been completed and placement of the base material is also nearly complete. The first major hick-up of the project may delay paving of the west side by a couple weeks.

A resubmission of the asphalt mix design, which must be approved by ITD, will postpone the paving test strip and roadway paving. Both the contractor and ITD will work to expedite the approval process and shorten the delay. Crews will move forward with other work that would have occurred during later stages of the project during the delay.

Laying of concrete for the curb, gutter, and sidewalk was started on Wednesday. The concrete crew will begin pedestrian ramps and business approaches on Thursday. Businesses are reminded that single-approach businesses will have only half of their approach closed at a time while concrete work is completed. Two-approach businesses will be limited to only one access.

Installation of a sanitary sewer line on 7th Street connecting to an existing city line east of Overland Avenue is ongoing. Crossing of Overland from west to east will take place on Thursday evening beginning at about 8 p.m. and last through the night. Flaggers will move traffic over the west side of Overland onto the gravel section as crews bury the line eastward. Removal of the sewer lift station on the southwest corner of the intersection will begin on Monday.

Other activities include reconstruction and curb installation on 4th Street and crews are completing placing bases for light poles and traffic signal boxes. Crews are also expecting to be finished installing sub-grade items this week including sediment traps on for the storm water drainage system and installation of conduit for the future traffic signals and city utilities.

Please promote caution to drivers who may use unsafe routes or poor driving habits in an attempt to avoid the construction zone.

****All construction activities and dates are subject to change as needed. This update is a basic guideline for anticipated construction activities.***